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FILIBUSTER ON ANTI-LYNCH BILL GOING STRONG

Night Session of Senate
Fails To Halt Southern
Oratory

SOME LOOK FOR
AN EARLY BREAK

Senator Byrnes Forecasts
Bill Be Side-Tracked
By Week-End

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—(AP)—Senator Pepper (D. Fla.) resumed his attack on the anti-lynching bill today with a statement that it "is plainly contrary to democracy."

He spoke through a night senate session last night and commenced again after the senate had confirmed Stanley F. Reed for the supreme court and several other lesser nominations.

The Florida senator kept the floor after a series of parliamentary maneuvers, including a ruling by Vice President Garner that he already had made the two speeches permitted on any single amendment.

Pepper introduced a minor amendment to the amendment on which he had spoken previously, and thus became entitled to two more speeches.

Similarly, all the other southern senators who have been filibustering against the anti-lynching bill may speak twice on Pepper's amendment.

Trying to Curb Lynching
Pepper declared that southern governors have been "doing all they can to stamp out the crime of lynching." He said the pending measure "would do more harm than it would do good in accomplishing its objective" or eliminating the crime.

Off the senate floor, Senator Connally (D. Tex.), leader of the southern opposition, said that "things look rosy" for sidetracking the bill. He said ample speakers were available to continue the filibuster indefinitely.

Another night senate session was ordered tonight in a campaign by Senator Barkley of Kentucky, the Democratic leader, to stop the speech making which is delaying the administration's legislative program.

President Roosevelt, meanwhile, arranged an afternoon conference with house members of the appropriations, military and naval committees presumably to discuss national defense.

Chairman Vinson (D. Ga.) of the house naval committee said he expected the president's promised message on a supplementary naval building program to embrace the whole national defense field.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—(AP)—The southern filibuster against the anti-lynching bill still was going strong in the senate despite administration efforts to end it by holding night sessions.

Senator Pepper (D-Fla.) held the floor to continue the steady stream of oratory which he and other southerners poured forth without a break yesterday from 11 a. m. to 10:10 p. m.

It was the first evening session of the year, held on the fifteenth day of the filibuster. Senator Connally (D-Tex.) said, however, the southern bloc was in shape to speak indefinitely.

Besides keeping the senate after hours, administration leaders enforced strict rules about speech making. Each senator, for instance, can speak only twice on a bill. Thus they counted Pepper's speech today as his second, yesterday's oration having been considered a separate one.

Friends of the legislation declared they would hold the bill (Please Turn to Page 5, Col. 4)

REPORT ON INCOME BY U. S. STEEL

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—(AP)—United States Steel Corp. for the three months ended Dec. 31, reported today net income \$4,577,983 compared with net income of \$2,650,780 in the comparable period of 1936, and with \$30,617,538 for the three months ended last September. Directors declared a regular dividend of \$1.75 a share on the preferred stock, but took no action on the common dividend.

CREDIT ASSOCIATION MEETS WEDNESDAY

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Sedalia Retail Credit Association will be held Wednesday noon at Hotel Bothwell. L. H. Reed, president of the association will preside, and the speaker will be M. D. Weathers of the New City Market.

CLEAR DOCKET IN CRIMINAL COURT

A plea of guilty, dismissal of embezzlement cases against Lee Thompson because of his death, and the dismissal of cases against T. E. Dugan and Sam R. Sprecher because of other charges filed, cleared the criminal docket this morning for the January term of circuit court. Usually there are cases carried over from one term to another, for various reasons, and for the first time during his term of office, John H. Perdue said this morning, the docket is completely cleared, and the April term of court will open with all new cases.

George Penn, charged with forgery of four checks, totalling \$28.55, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to two years in the state penitentiary. He had forged the name of C. H. Brandhorst.

BONDS GIVEN BY TOM E. DUGAN AND SAM SPRECHER

Former Collector Waives
Hearing—Sprecher To
Have One Monday

Tom E. Dugan, former city collector, arrested late Monday afternoon on three charges of embezzlement of funds from the city of Sedalia, gave bond in the total amount of \$7,500, \$2,500 on each count, waived his preliminary hearing, and will appear at the April term of criminal court. He is charged with embezzling \$230 in February, 1937, \$250, in October, 1936 and \$500 in June, 1936. Two of the charges are filed in the justice court of Bell Hutchinson and one in that of W. H. Leslie. The warrants were served by Constable Forest Poinderer.

Dugan's bonds were signed by J. L. Brooks and George Dugan.

Sam Sprecher, charged with being an accessory before the fact, in connection with the above alleged embezzlements, gave bond of \$1500 on each of three charges, or a total of \$4,500, signed by Mrs. Eunice Conway and W. W. Bolton. Prosecuting Attorney L. J. Harned recommended bond of \$2500 on each charge for both Dugan and Sprecher, but Fred Ross, Sprecher's attorney, asked that the amount be reduced, for his client, to \$1500. Judge W. R. Large gave the request consideration and reduced the amount as asked. Sprecher asked for a preliminary hearing, and it will be before Judge Large Monday, January 21.

PLANE FEARED LOST SAFELY LANDED

HARTFORD, Conn., Jan. 25.—(AP)—A 14-passenger Eastern Airlines transport plane with five persons aboard landed safely today at Rentschler Field after battling strong winds and rain for seven hours on a scheduled trip to Washington, D. C., from Newark, N. J.

Capt. Fred Jones, chief pilot, calmly announced upon landing, "well we left and we landed." The airliner, carrying two passengers and a crew of three, was feared "lost" for several hours, but Capt. Jones said he had been in constant touch with Newark airport officials by radio and that he had "overshot" his radio beam.

In spite of their coolness the two passengers believed they "were all done," and wrote notes to their loved ones.

"At 2 A. M., we began to think it was near time to come down—so we wrote notes to our families," said C. E. Bane, a retail shoe dealer, as he and Phillip King waited for a train at the Hartford railroad station.

Edward Lemieux, the steward, said most of the time they were aloft he tried to keep the passengers from thinking about crashing.

One of the things he did, Lemieux said, was to provide chewing gum and coffee.

Still the passengers expressed themselves as apparently unconcerned over their experience. The ship took off from the Newark airport at 8:30 o'clock last night and encountered 90-mile-an-hour headwinds.

At no time was the ship over water, Jones pointed out. She landed about 3 A. M.

CHILD FATALLY BURNED IN ITS BABY CARRIAGE

BOONVILLE, Mo., Jan. 25.—(AP)—Anna Louise Gerlt, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Gerlt, near Wooldridge, died Saturday from burns suffered when her baby carriage rolled against a heater and ignited, it was learned here today.

The parents found the carriage in flames when they returned to the house after being out momentarily.

MAN HELD HERE BE QUESTIONED ON KIDNAPPING

Wilbur Mohr Admits To
Officers Being An
Army Deserter

FBI AGENTS ARE
TO MAKE INQUIRY

Queries Be Directed As
To Whether He Might
Be Implicated

Wilbur T. Mohr, alias Edison Mung, alias "Chip", aged 24, who states his home is in New York, is held in the county jail, and will be questioned by Sheriff W. L. Marlin and F. B. I. men from Kansas City, with reference to the kidnapping-slaying of 10 year old Charles Matson, at Tacoma, Wash., in December, 1936. He has admitted to Sedalia county officers that he is a deserter from the army.

Mohr was arrested at the farm of Mrs. C. A. Higdon east of Sedalia, late Monday afternoon by Deputy Sheriffs Clyde Coppers and John Starkey, after Sheriff Marlin had received a tip the young man might have some knowledge of the kidnapping.

F. B. I. men in Kansas City were notified and said they would be here today to question the young man.

Picked Up On Highway
At the Higdon home the officers learned that Mohr, whom they knew only as "Chip", had been picked up on the highway, east of Sedalia, the day before Thanksgiving and given work by young Mr. Higdon. The youth told Higdon he was enroute from the west to his home in New York where he has two sisters and four brothers. "Just call me Chip," he said, when asked his name, "that's my nickname," and at the farm they knew him as "Chipmunk"; a willing worker, quick to learn how to perform any farm work with which he was not familiar.

Questioned as they drove to Sedalia by the deputy sheriffs Mohr admitted to them that he is a deserter from the army. His constant use of the word "Sir" in addressing them, led to inquiries as to the Army. He told them also that he had been in the state of Washington the latter part of 1936, but later that night denied he was there that year, stating it was in 1937 he went with other army men to Washington, to a post near Tacoma for maneuvers.

Deserted Army

Mohr, youthful looking, who says he is of French and Irish descent, is a fluent talker. He said he joined the army at Fort Douglas, Utah, September 24, 1935, and deserted in September 1937. "I couldn't get a furlough," he said, "so I just walked off. I intended to go to New York to see my sister and then give myself up at the army post at Niagara, N. Y. I know I did wrong," he added, "I feel worse about this than the army does, and I will go back—if they take me—and maybe spend the rest of my life there."

He admitted to the officers that he had been fingerprinted at least twice, once in Chicago, once in some other town, both times when he was held for investigation. He insisted he had told the officers the whole truth about his career, that the only black mark against him is the desertion from the army, states that he does not drink and does not like anyone who does. "I don't gamble," he said, "because that's wrong. I know it's wrong to lie, steal, kill, commit adultery and bear false witness, because the Bible says so, and I try to live according to the Bible."

Quotes Bible

Questioned as to whether he had ever seen anyone die, anyone who had been perfectly well one minute, then met a tragic death, he said he had not, but that he had seen a little girl get run over once and an elderly lady get hurt. She later died, he said, but he did not see her. "Would anything like that prey on your mind," he was asked, "would you worry about seeing anyone die?" "No I would not," he said, "for the Bible says, 'I do worry a lot about leaving the army,'" he said, "because I know I should not have done it."

Mohr said he had no reason for using an alias other than it was "just flung at him." When I write to my sisters or my friends I use my regular name," he said. He told the officers he visited in Montana prior to his trip west when he joined the army.

One Finger Off

Mohr has lost the middle finger (Please turn to Page 5, Col. 3)

STEPHEN'S REPLIES TO A SPORTSMAN

By The Associated Press.
COLUMBIA, Mo., Jan. 25.—E. Sidney Stephens, chairman of the Missouri Conservation Commission, today publicly replied to a complaint by Harry Shuttee, Ozark sportsman and businessman, that only Democrats are being appointed to the new state fish and game setup.

Stephens said that Shuttee's complaint that the commission had seriously erred in retaining 30 Democrats from the previous setup was "based on a lack of understanding of the commission's action and its future plans."

The commission he said "has received a mandate from the people that politics shall not be recognized in the administration of conservation in Missouri. The politics of those members tentatively retained was not investigated or considered."

He pointed out that the 30 conservation agents are being retained temporarily and on probation and, like all others considered for appointments, will be required to submit to oral and physical examinations.

Stephens added that in selecting permanent staff members the commission will not be concerned with political affiliations, but only with the qualifications.

"Whether they are Democrats or Republicans," he asserted, "will be a matter purely of fortuitous circumstance."

SNARLING KILLER HELD IN CHAINS WITHOUT BAIL

Murderer of Ross Defiant;
Kicks a Photographer
In The Face

CHICAGO, January 25.—(AP)—John Henry Seadlund—kicking, snarling and tugging at his chains—was held without bail Monday for the kidnapping of Charles S. Ross.

The unruly prisoner, branded the "most cold-blooded killer" ever encountered by federal agents, stood mute and defiant while a plea of innocent was entered for him when he was arranged before U. S. Commissioner Edwin K. Walker.

Although the case was set for Feb. 2, prosecutors planned to present his confession to the grand jury Friday as the next step in a program designed to speed him to the electric chair under the Lindbergh kidnap law. Seadlund, manacled to two government operatives, was escorted from his cell in the federal bureau of investigation quarters in a loop skyscraper and hustled across Clark street to the federal building.

Kicks Man in Face
Suddenly, in the center of a crowd of curious, he kicked a squatting photographer in the face.

He was rushed along corridors lined with spectators to a jam-packed room on the eighth floor. Walker read the formal complaint charging that Seadlund snatched Ross near Chicago on September 25, carried him to a hideout near Emily, Minn.; collected \$50,000 in ransom, moved his victim from Emily to the woods near Spooner, Wis., and there killed him Oct. 10.

Seadlund was asked to advance his plea. When he remained silent, Walker stated:

Not Guilty Plea
"The prisoner stands mute. Therefore, I will enter a plea of not guilty."

District Attorney Michael L. Igoe then asked the continuance to permit him to seek an indictment.

Seadlund, attired in new brown suit, overcoat and hat, was taken to a cell in the building to spend the night.

OIL COMPANIES SEEK NEW TRIAL

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 25.—(AP)—Attorneys for 16 major oil companies and 30 executives convicted last Saturday in federal district court on charges of violation of the Sherman anti-trust act filed motions today to set aside the verdict, to arrest judgment and to ask a new trial.

Judge Patrick T. Stone's charge to the jury was attacked. Defense attorneys objected to the judge's instruction to the jury that as a matter of law the defendants had failed to show requisite governmental approval for their activities under the NRA. They were charged with conspiring to raise and fix midwestern gasoline prices during 1935 and 1936. Their defense was that they were continuing operations begun under the NRA.

YOUTHS CONFESS TAKING BATTERIES

Stanley Garfield Mulkey, 19, and brother, Henry Farner Mulkey, 21, Negroes living at 429 East St. Louis, admitted to Chief of Police John J. O'Brien Monday night, that they have taken nine batteries and seven tires from automobiles, belonging to E. W. Thompson, parked in the used car lot on the north side of Fourth street in the 200 block.

They told O'Brien that they placed five batteries near the alley late Sunday afternoon, intending to pick them up this morning, but they were gone. Jasper Thornton, Negro living at 219 West Pettis, admitted to the chief that he had picked up two of the five batteries. He said they were so close to the alley he thought they had been discarded, and when he came down the alley with his son, remarked to a paperboy they met that they must have been thrown away. "I'll take them with me," he told the chief he had told his son, then if they come after me I'll give them back." Officer Fischer "came after him" and he returned them Monday night.

Officers Lawrence Englund and Emmett O'Brien, and the Negro officer Pearl Green brought the Mulkey brothers into police headquarters on instructions from Chief O'Brien.

All three Negroes were held in the county jail Monday night. The Mulkey brothers said they took the first tires and batteries about a month and a half ago, and have sold all taken for fifty cents apiece.

REED CONFIRMED IN UNANIMOUS SENATE VOTE

Becomes Associate Justice
of High Court—May
Take Seat Monday

By The Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—The senate confirmed today the nomination of Stanley F. Reed to be an associate justice of the supreme court succeeding Justice George Sutherland.

The vote of confirmation was unanimous. Reed, 53-year-old Kentuckian, now may take his seat on the high court when it meets next Monday.

Sutherland, a native of Utah, retired January 18.

Reed was the second supreme court justice to be appointed by President Roosevelt. Hugo L. Black of Alabama was named last summer to succeed Willis Van Devanter.

A senate judiciary subcommittee approved Reed's nomination after a brief hearing last week, and the full judiciary committee added its unanimous approval yesterday.

FIRE PREVENTION PROGRAM BE HELD

Preliminary meetings of representatives of Sedalia civic organizations with R. O. Beistle and L. B. Gribble, representing the Missouri State Fire Prevention Association, was held this noon at Hotel Bothwell.

Mr. Beistle and Mr. Gribble presented a plan for all civic organizations to cooperate in an educational program promoting fire prevention and a safety program in Sedalia. Speakers will visit the public schools February 24 and 25 (tentative dates) and talk along these lines. A contest will be started by having homes inspection blanks filled out by children in the lower grades, a committee to judge the best and award prizes. It is also proposed for the luncheon clubs and any interested citizen attend a luncheon Feb. 25 and hear a report of the activities.

Those at the luncheon today were: Mr. Beistle, Mr. Gribble, Joe Rosenthal, Jack Crawford, M. D. Weathers, Heber Hunt, Dr. J. E. Cannaday, Charles Vandyne, Jack Jolly, Charles Jenkins, Guy T. Callender, I. H. Reed, L. H. Ruffin, Lee Montgomery, Sam Milton, Phil McLaughlin, W. P. Stanley, E. W. Thompson, Julian H. Bagby.

DOG FOUND CARRYING HUMAN HAND AND ARM

KANSAS CITY, Kas., Jan. 25.—(AP)—"Here, Boy," called Philip Gabel, 12, to a friendly dog. Then he saw the dog was carrying a human right hand and forearm. The sheriff's office is investigating today.

CHILD FALLING INTO A TUB OF HOT WATER DIES

MOBERLY, Mo., Jan. 25.—(AP)—It was wash day for Doris Anita West's doll, Doris Anita, 4, climbed upon a box to reach a big tub of hot water, slipped, fell in. She died yesterday.

ICY BLASTS TO MISSOURI BY CHILLING GALES

Cold In East And Middle
West Puts Check On
Floods

MARYVILLE COLD
SPOT IN STATE

Even Further Drop Is
Predicted By Forecaster
For Tonight

By The Associated Press.
ST. LOUIS, Jan. 25.—Accompanied by sharp winds, a cold wave, one of the few so far this winter, gripped Missouri today with near-zero temperatures.

Coming after a week-end of beneficial rains, the cold froze the ground hard as ice, but Government Forecaster Roscoe Nunn said the low temperatures would not be severe enough to harm winter wheat.

The chilling blasts, ranging in velocity from 22 to 28 miles an hour, swirled light snow through St. Louis and Hannibal. Cape Girardeau reported snow flurries last night.

Challenging the sun's warmth, the cold wave forced temperatures downward even after day-break. There was a 2-degree drop to 12 here between 7 and 10 a. m. The mercury similarly continued downward at Columbia, Springfield, Joplin and St. Joseph.

Coldest at Maryville
Coldest points in the state were Kirksville and Marysville, each reporting 4 degrees above zero as its minimum. Hannibal's low temperature was 6 degrees. It was 7 at 9:30 a. m. in St. Joseph, where high winds had been continuous since Sunday night.

The onrush of the cold brought a drastic change to Poplar Bluff, which experienced a drop from 60 degrees yesterday to 22 last night. The weather was clear, cool and windy there today. Cape Girardeau's Minimum was 20 degrees during a night of strong winds and snow flurries.

At Columbia, the temperature was exactly freezing at 6 p. m. last night before the mercury began its slump to a reading of 10 degrees at 9 a. m. today. Sedalia and Jefferson City's lows likewise were 10.

Joplin reported 15 degrees this morning, Springfield 13 and Kansas City 9. The skies were clear in the western section of the state and cloudy in the central and eastern areas.

Forecaster Nunn predicted generally fair weather tonight and colder, with continued cold tomorrow. However, he said it would be "somewhat" warmer tomorrow night.

Missouri's low readings still were far above the minima recorded in other sections of the country. Temperatures were down to 18 below zero in North Dakota. In Saskatchewan, Canada, it was 34 below zero.

Checks Midwinter Floods
Suddenly colder weather today appeared to have ended a threat of midwinter floods in the east and midwest.

Before noon cold blasts had swept as far east as central New York state, checking floods which already had begun to spread over farm lands in Illinois and Wisconsin.

The cold wave, racing in from the northwest, dropped temperatures below zero in North Dakota and Minnesota, and to near zero in other sections of the midwest. At Syracuse, N. Y., where a record high temperature of 54 prevailed at 4 a. m., the mercury dived to 36 by 9 a. m. and still was falling rapidly. Heavy snow began falling.

Gale Along Seaboard
The eastern seaboard was troubled with a southeastern gale. (Please turn to page 5 column 7)

CLASSES DISMISSED FOR FOUR FUNERALS

MARSHALL, Mo., Jan. 25.—(AP)—High school classes here were dismissed today for separate funeral services for four student victims of a highway accident Saturday night.

The dead were C. B. Durrett, 17, Norgett Langan, 17, Helen Entiken, 15, and Thomas A. Stooke, 17. The condition of Kathryn McDonough, 14, and Mary Thomas, 14, remained critical. The driver of a truck into which the students' car crashed during a fog was held blameless at an inquest late yesterday.

Named Administrator
Judge D. E. Kennedy has been appointed, by the probate judge, as administrator of the estate of the late Mrs. Ella Clifford.

NEW NICKEL WILL SOON BE MINTED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—(AP)—We're going to have a new nickel—the first in 25 years.

The treasury announced today that the familiar buffalo nickel will be succeeded by one honoring Thomas Jefferson, third president of the United States.

The law says a new nickel decision can be issued only every 25 years. That period will be up on Feb. 21.

Secretary Morgenthau decreed the new nickel must show Jefferson's face on one side and his famous home, Monticello, on the other.

The exact design will be decided in a \$1,000 prize contest, to be judged by Mrs. Nellie Taylor Ross, director of the mint, and three sculptors, Sidney Waugh, Albert Stewart and Heinz Warneke.

CONVENTION OF MINE WORKERS ON AT CAPITAL

John L. Lewis Urges
"Effective Voice" In
Council of Industry

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—(AP)—John L. Lewis' United Mine Workers began their biennial convention today, urged by their leader to help give organized labor "an increasingly effective voice" in the councils of industry and government.

The mine workers, a bulwark of Lewis' Committee for Industrial Organization in its differences with the American Federation of Labor, sent 2,000 delegates.

He told one group late yesterday that thousands of workers would join the CIO "when once more the economic tide turns." There was a possibility the miners would vote on whether to expel William Green, member of the Coshocton, Ohio, local and president of the AFL. Green has been paying dues to the UMW for 48 years, but his anti-CIO stand has led to demands for his expulsion.

Neither passage nor defeat of a motion to expel Green would necessarily indicate the miners' feeling toward unifying the CIO and the AFL, observers said. They anticipated action on some resolution touching more directly on the basic disputes which have divided America's 7,000,000 unionists into about equal groups.

Senator Bridges (R-NH) said last night he had heard a rumor that the CIO, which he described as "notorious for its lack of integrity," was scheming to "take over the AFL by a boring from within process."

Assails Low Prices and Wages
Lewis told the convention today that price and wage cutting never had and never would improve business. He said he hoped the country's economic and political leaders "will not permit themselves to follow this economic will o' the wisp."

"If they do," he said, "the responsibility for such action will be upon them."

"And when the sufferings of the people become acute, they can not hope to escape that responsibility."

Lewis said that all the country needed "to insure a complete economic, social and political debacle" was to reduce prices and wages.

Some economists and political leaders were suggesting that, of course, he said, with the argument that lower production costs would mean more consumption.

"The answer to that is that it never has and it never will," Lewis roared. "We tried that under President Hoover."

"No one need tell the coal miners whose wages were steadily cut from 1925 to 1932 to cheapen the cost of production," he added, "the miners know that those cuts didn't result in the consuming of another trainload of coal."

He pledged labor "to resist any attempt to cut prices and wages."

Lewis called the recession "a sad commentary on the intelligence of our leaders in industry and statecraft."

LEARNS TRIBUTE WAS TO U. S. AMBASSADOR AND WIFE
WARSAW, Jan. 25.—(AP)—Maxim Litvinoff, Soviet foreign commissar, trying to travel in incognito to Geneva, was amazed today to find Polish foreign office representatives, foreign diplomats and many Americans at the railroad station when he arrived here.

He hastily pulled down the curtain of his compartment and turned off the lights. Later he discovered the tribute was to United States Ambassador and Mrs. Anthony J. Drexel Biddle, Jr., departing for the United States.

INTERRUPTIONS IN TELEGRAPH AND 'PHONE SERVICE

Sun Spot Activity Is
Disturbing In Earth's
Magnetic Field

RADIO SERVICE
IS HAMPERED

Airlines Report Difficul-
ty In Rockies Area
On Contact

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 25.—Interruptions in radio, telegraph and telephone transmissions today were attributed by astronomers directly to sun spot activity. An active spot, which is just disappearing around the limb of the sun, caused similar disturbances in the earth's magnetic field last Monday and Friday, bringing radio fade-outs those two days.

The Aurora Borealis, or Northern Lights, was seen early Saturday morning as far south as San Diego, with forest rangers and firemen mistaking the red glow on the northern horizon for distant forest fires.

Astronomers at the Carnegie Institution's Mt. Wilson observatory readily attributed last week's disturbances to one sun spot, one of the six largest yet observed. But they were uncertain what sun spot activity caused interruptions in wire and radio transmissions today, since the big spot is now almost out of sight.

Difficultly By Airlines.
Airlines reported difficulty today in keeping radio contact in the Rocky Mountain area.

Dr. Dinsmore Alter, director of Griffith Observatory, which has an instrument by which the sun may be observed continuously, said there appeared to be no unusual sun spot activity today.

"The trouble may have been caused by the huge spot just going out of sight," said Dr. Alter. "Another big spot may be forming and is not yet easily visible, or another may be coming around the edge of the sun."

"We saw one big prominence, or gas eruption yesterday in connection with the big sun spot." The sun spot cycle of ten or eleven years now is near the maximum of activity. For the past three months the number of spots has been comparatively low, but they are increasing again.

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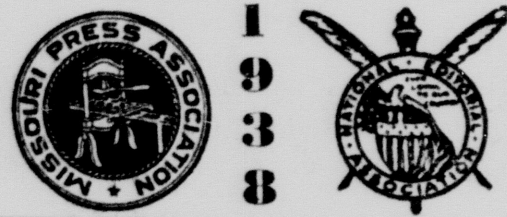
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TONSorial TALKERS

There have been a lot of jokes about the "talking barber" who insists on engaging his customers in conversation, but now comes information that the breed is fast disappearing.

An enterprising Memphis newspaper reporter toured the city's barber shops and found not a single tonsorial artist who tried to start conversation. Many, he reported, would not even talk when he started the ball rolling.

If talking barbers really are disappearing, it will mean the passing of a long-lived American institution—which few, incidentally, will mourn.

One barber said some shops now enforce a "silence" rule. But the best guess would be that they found themselves outclassed when women clients invaded the shops, and haven't been able to get going since.

HIRING FAMILIES

Hollywood thought it very funny when Paramount Pictures had to hire an entire family in order to sign up Surata Asmara, a Malayan jungle girl, to play the lead in a forthcoming film.

But American voters are hiring whole families all the time in order to get the services of one man.

In 1934, 44 members of the U. S. house of representatives hired assistants or clerks of the same family name. In 1935, the number was 37; in 1936, 34; and in 1937, 25.

The last time a bill was proposed to prevent use of the annual \$2,200,000 clerk-hire appropriation for congressmen's relatives, it was shouted down with a lusty "No!"

Paramount is just a copy-cat.

Although saccharin is 500 times sweeter than sugar, it does not attract ants, flies or other sugar-eating insects.

Unless the current birth rate is raised, U. S. population never will exceed 136,500,000 statisticians believe.

English rivers wash more than 2,000,000 tons of solid matter down to the sea every month.

The surface of England and Wales will be flat in 5,500,000 years due to river erosion, according to estimates.

Weaves and designs of broad silks sold in Cuba follow closely the styles prevailing in the United States.

Brazilian farmers cannot be charged interest rates in excess of 8 per cent, by governmental decree.

One medical authority contends that the growth of children takes place entirely when they are asleep.

Joseph Hergesheimer, author of many successful novels, wrote for 14 years before his work was seriously considered by a publisher.

Canning dog food now ranks among the foremost canning industries of the United States, with an annual retail sale totaling approximately \$30,000,000.

A census of deer, antelope, elk and other forms of wild life which roam the 142,000,000 acres of public range in the U. S. is planned by the department of the interior.

GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP

Two recent proposals for government ownership of industry give rise to a more than usual amount of speculation and peering into the future.

The usual thing about both suggestions is that they come from the industry side of the fence. One is the proposal of Wendell Wilkie, one of the nation's outstanding public utility executives, that the government purchase the electric properties of his company in the TVA area.

The other is the proposal of Governor Earle of Pennsylvania, backed by anthracite operators themselves, that the government buy and control operation of the hard coal industry.

Presumably neither of these proposals will be accomplished in the near future. But supposing they were. Would the federal government then purchase every other industry which got into financial difficulties?

And if it did, would that be Communism, or Socialism, or Fascism, or what? It's something to think about.

Buckingham palace, London, contains one of the rarest collections of clocks in the world. They were assembled by George III and V.

Mussolini's actual salary as boss of Italy, according to a recently returned writer, is actually less than \$10,000 a year. Maybe so—but does anyone dare send him a bill?

The Vegetarian News, a London periodical, wonders in a recent issue, whether or not Hercules was a vegetarian. Meanwhile, we not so learned folk will go right on wondering whether there was a Hercules.

A poet once said that the true music of the fields is that made by bees hovering over flowers. Sure, many's the time we've heard a whole swarm of them rendering a ditty that sounded just like "Hum, Sweet Hum."

SO THEY SAY

The people (Japanese) are convinced that the war in China is not a land-grabbing expedition. They have been told it is a campaign to save China from the menace of Communism.—Rev. Albert W. Beaven, Rochester, N. Y., after a trip around the world.

When relief measures extend beyond a stop-gap period they inevitably tend to destroy the self-respect and the initiative of the men and women dependent upon them.—John D. Rockefeller, Jr.

In the beginning perhaps men only greased their skins to keep them supple in the dry winds and harsh weather.—Mrs. Virginia Eifert, scientist, reporting that men first used cosmetics.

People today have stopped thinking about God, although they have not rejected Him. Our problem now is to reawaken the ideas of religion in the minds of everyone.—Francis Joseph Sheed, British author.

If you have to choose between an automobile and living with your in-laws, give up the car.—Dr. Ray H. Abrams, University of Pennsylvania, advising prospective brides and grooms.

Looking Backward

FROM FILES OF THE SEDALIA DEMOCRAT

FORTY YEARS AGO

Judge James Ringen has sold his stock of general merchandise at Smithton to Henry Hoffman of Concordia, who has leased the building and will operate the store.

A marriage license has been issued by Recorder McDougall to W. J. Blochberger of Cole Camp and Miss Lizzie Heinrichs of Centertown.

Joseph Geiser has bought the Crum mill at Windsor and has put it in thorough repair, adding new machinery.

Editorial comment: Japan is said to have sent nine warships to China. There may be some trouble in the east yet.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

A new social club, the Tuesday Auction club, held its first meeting at the home of Geraldine Knox. The membership includes, Mesdames Arthur Meusche, Guy Tittsworth, W. A. Beckemeyer, W. E. Mullins, Misses Gwendolyn Johns, Frances Longan, Lois Williams and Miss Knox.

Marian Sodality of Sacred Heart church met and elected the following officers: Perfect, Rose Waddell; assistant prefect, Ida Lorschach; secretary, Laura Katzer; treasurer, Rose Semon.

"JUST TOWN TALK"

Copied Right By "P. E. P."

A NUMBER OF	IN FACT
YOUNG BOYS	ONE OF The Boys
RECENTLY PUT On	SMILED MOST
A BENEFIT	OF THE Time
GOLDEN GLOVES	HIS FATHER Was
PERFORMANCE	KIDDING HIM
IN THE Basement	ABOUT HIS Actions
OF THE Home	AND TELLING Him
OF ONE Of	AFTER THIS
THE BOYS	TO GO In And
THE PROCEEDS	REALLY BOX
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	I THANK YOU



WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 — It doesn't pay to minimize the reports of increasing Fascist influence in Latin America. Actually the situation is worse than appears on the surface.

The State Department is now conducting a confidential survey which shows that Mussolini is arming at least three Latin American countries.

In Nicaragua the Italian government has just delivered 500 tons of munitions, left over from the Ethiopian war. They were sold on dirt cheap terms, but even so, it is doubtful that Nicaragua will be able to pay for them.

Nicaragua, it will be recalled, has given the United States a 99-year lease for the construction of a canal paralleling the Panama canal, also leases on certain islands and on the Gulf of Fonseca as naval bases. Recently, however, the Nicaraguan government has become totalitarian and not particularly friendly to the United States.

In Ecuador, the Italian government has completed another large sale of arms. Also in Paraguay, where the United States is attempting to negotiate peace in the Chaco, Italy has sold a large consignment of second hand military planes.

Note—Should these countries default on their payments, next step would be for Mussolini to demand oil or mineral concessions. Fascist-Nazi tactics in South America are reported to be to get colonies through economic penetration, without fighting for them.

All the admirals love Roosevelt, nevertheless they are awfully sore that the admiral who becomes superintendent of the naval academy next week does so only by benefit of the president. The man is Rear Admiral Wilson Brown, former white house naval aide, which is how he got his job. Brown is not considered an upper bracket admiral. Those in the upper brackets of efficiency are made fleet command-

ers, and it has been navy tradition that superintendents of Annapolis must have had fleet experience.

Admiral Brown has never commanded a fleet, and the Navy was preparing to give him a nice, quiet little navy yard such as Charleston, when suddenly an order was received from the white house.

It advised that Admiral Brown should be given the naval academy "if he wants it." There was no doubt that he wanted it, since he had done a little personal lobbying to get it.

Soviet Ambassador

The British Ambassador, Sir Ronald Lindsay, P. C., G. C. M. G., K. C. B., and C. V. O. is tall, perfectly groomed, has an Oxford accent, is the son of the 26th Earl of Crawford, is a firm believer in the capitalist system.

The Soviet Ambassador, Comrade Alexander Troyanovsky, is short, dark-skinned, speaks hesitating English, twice has been exiled to Siberia, is a hard-riding ex-cavalry officer, is a firm believer in a Communist government.

Yet the two men have a common bond.

This came out the other day when the social secretary of the Soviet embassy was making up a list for one of its famed receptions and included the names of two society columnists.

"No," said Ambassador Troyanovsky, "I will not have them in my house."

"What they wrote about you was not so bad," remonstrated his secretary.

"That's not the reason. It's what they wrote about my colleague, Sir Ronald Lindsay. They were most unkind to him. They said he went to sleep while talking to people. That is not true. Sir Ronald is a little deaf, and when he cannot hear, he closes his eyes to concentrate. He does not go to sleep.

"Sir Ronald is a very able diplomat and an old friend of mine.

No one who criticizes him will come to my house."

Political Gratitude

Senator Byrnes' chairmanship of the senate unemployment investigation has caused a lot of his Democratic colleagues to wonder whether there is such a thing as personal gratitude.

Behind this is the fact that the senator is now knifing his old friend in the white house, who spent around \$30,000,000 in South Carolina to keep Jimmy in the senate.

To get the full picture, remember that for about four years Jimmy Byrnes was known as the president's messenger boy. Whenever there was a tight jam in congress, it was Jimmy who carried the message up Pennsylvania avenue and told the boys what to do.

Jimmy gloried in the glamour of it. And the president seemed to like Jimmy, for when there was danger of his defeat, Roosevelt actually went down to South Carolina and made a speech, in addition to granting two large PWA power projects, to aid Jimmy with his constituents.

But now that the senator from South Carolina is safely reelected, he has been battling against the president on several important issues, particularly that of unemployment relief.

Byrnes' colleagues claim that in his present investigation he has been conferring secretly with Senator Vandenberg, most effective Republican foe, and with other Republican leaders. Also, administration witnesses coming before Byrnes are sharply questioned while anti-administration witnesses are given the glad hand.

So it seems almost certain that the ex-white house messenger boy will bring in a report rapping relief expenditures at a time when his chief has definitely stated that no one must starve.

CRANIUM CRACKERS

1. Over how much of United States did the great glacier of the ice age extend?

2. The faces of what Presidents of the United States are being carved on the Mount Rushmore memorial in South Dakota?

3. Where are the Sandwich Islands?

4. After whom were the days of the week named?

5. In six months a whale doubled its length, and in another six months grew half as long again. If in the year it grew 15 feet, what was its original length?

Answers on Classified Page

THE FAMILY DOCTOR

NEW PROTAMINE ZINC INSULIN OFFERS GREATER SATISFACTION FOR DIABETICS

BY DR. MORRIS FISHBEIN

Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, and of Hygeia, the Health Magazine

One of the great discoveries of the past few years has been an improvement in the insulin used in the treatment of diabetes. Insulin itself was such an important discovery that the investigators received the Nobel prize for their work.

Medicine, however, does not stop with a discovery of this character, but proceeds at once to improvements and advances which enhance its usefulness.

The great discovery which still remains to be made in this field is development of a preparation which can be taken by mouth and which will act as a substitute for the secretion of the pancreas, known as insulin, which is lacking in those who have diabetes.

With the old insulin, frequently as many as four injections per day might be required and all meals had to be taken in proper relation to the injection. People with diabetes had to live on an exceedingly regular schedule.

The development of the new protamine zinc insulin makes it possible in many cases to abolish these restrictions. Often it is possible for the patient to take one dose before breakfast and then to take his meals at optional hours during the day.

Of course every patient with diabetes differs from every other patient and it is not possible to make any definite rule for all of them. After suitable study, however, many patients are going to be able to use the new preparation to great advantage.

It must be remembered that the patient with diabetes must not only take the preparation of insulin to substitute for the secretion that he lacks, but he must also choose his food both as to quantity and quality in relation to the amount of insulin that he takes and the needs of his body for energy and for growth.

Once a diabetic person becomes experienced in the uses of either the old or new insulin, he can, with intelligence, regulate his routines so as to live nearly a normal existence. If a person with diabetes develops an intercurrent infection, or if he is suddenly called upon for an excess output of energy, that may modify greatly the amount of food that he is to take and with

it the amount of insulin. Altogether, however, the new protamine zinc insulin has greatly modified the control of diabetes.

Just as soon as people with diabetes learn the advantage of the new preparation, they are often eager to abandon whatever they were doing in the past and to begin at once with the new product.

They forget the necessity for the same careful study and control that preceded the first taking of insulin and the long experience that they have had with the old product.

There are many cases in which the transfer from the old to the new product may involve an interval in which they take both. In some instances it may require residence in a hospital to determine response and to train patients in the use of the new substance.

NEXT: Two articles on treatment of pneumonia.

The Grab Bag

One-Minute Test

1. Who is chief of the national WPA administration in the U. S.?
2. What South African pioneer established a series of scholarships which bear his name?
3. Who wrote "The Gold Bug"?

Hints on Etiquette

It is impolite to open and read personal letters in the presence of another person.

Today's Horoscope

A kindly nature is typical of most persons whose birthday occurs today. They know the truth of the adage, "Sugar attracts more flies than vinegar."

One-Minute Test Answers

1. Harry Hopkins.
2. Cecil Rhodes.
3. Edgar Allan Poe.

Poems That Live

IN EXPLANATION

Her lips were so near

That—what else could I do?
You'll be angry, I fear,
But her lips were so near—
Well, I can't make it clear,
Or explain it to you.

But—her lips were so near
That—what else could I do?
—Walter Learned.

One Minute Pulpit

If the wicked restore the pledge, give again that he had robbed, walk in the statutes of life, without committing iniquity; he shall surely live, he shall not die.—Ezekiel 33:15.



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CAST OF CHARACTERS

CONSTANCE CORBY—heroine; richest girl in the world.

BRET HARDESTY—hero; bridge builder.

RODNEY BRANDON—Connie's fiancé.

KATIE BLYN—Connie's "double."

Yesterday: Bret, finding himself miserable without Connie, comes back. And they are married. She is now Mrs. Bretton Hardesty for keeps.

CHAPTER XVI

TOMORROW came, as tomorrow will, turning into today, and the whole world knew that Constance Corby had married a struggling young man with practically nothing to his name. The whole world hummed and buzzed with the news, exclaimed, either approvingly or with condemnation, prophesied as to whether or not such a strange marriage possibly could last.

None of which bothered Connie or Bret in the least. They had each other, which was more than sufficient for the present. They were in the first idyllic stage of honeymooning when a rosy glow transfigured and enveloped everything; an interlude of ecstasy in which reality does not exist.

They stayed at a small, unpretentious hotel in the nearest good-sized town so that Bret could drive back and forth for the two weeks remaining until his bride was completed. They had the bridal suite, which was far from elegant, but it is doubtful if they noticed that. The only thing Connie noticed was that the days were suddenly longer and exceedingly empty. That was because Bret was gone. The hours when he could be with her were all too short.

"As soon as the bridge is done," she said, "we'll go away somewhere so that we can be together every single moment. We'll have a real honeymoon."

"I like that!" Bret's dark eyes were teasing. "Isn't this a real honeymoon, Mrs. Hardesty?"

"Only when you are here," she told him. "Only half of one, because of that. We shall go away, darling, for a long, long while—around the whole world, perhaps."

BRET's dark eyes grew sober. "You forget, my sweet," he said, "that I'm not in a position to take my wife traveling around the world. If we went, we would have to go on your money. I don't believe I'd like that."

"You forget," Connie reminded, "that my money is now our money. We agreed that we were going to work everything out together, and that means sharing everything together, too. We said we were not

going to be afraid of money, or of anything else under the sun, as long as we had each other."

Bret said that that was what they had agreed. Still he did not like the idea of another honeymoon under those conditions. He had not realized yet that he had married Constance Corby.

Connie, on the other hand, seemed to have slipped back, quickly and easily, into her true self again. After all, that was what she had always been. With the exception of that brief lapse when she had been Katie Blyn, she was perfectly natural for her, having experienced that metamorphosis, to decide to circle the globe, or to do anything else if she wished.

One of the first things she did, after she received a wire from Uncle Tippy wishing her happiness and scolding her for having achieved it in the way she had, and sending her several thousands of dollars with a letter of credit for the bank, was to shed that other girl's clothing.

She was a bit tired, she discovered suddenly—one day that dragged unusually long with Bret away—of the shoddy navy suit and the black dress and all of those somber, sensible things.

That evening when Bret, tired and dusty, came back to the bridal suite he found a girl he had never seen before, a girl whose golden curls had been carefully shampooed and waved, whose slender figure wore a lovely frock of softest blue, matching the shining excitement in her eyes, whose ankles were encased in cobwebby hose and feet in high-heeled, dainty slippers. In brief, a girl who might have stepped from a page of a fashion magazine.

"GOOD Lord!" he exclaimed. "What have you done to yourself, honey?"

"Don't you like me?" Connie executed a little dance step around him, showing off her finery.

"You're very grand," he said. There was a puzzled look in his dark eyes. One could not tell whether he was pleased or not. "But I'm afraid to touch you." He raised his hands, dropped them, comically, at his sides.

"Oh, you needn't be," she said lightly. "See," catching him by the hand and pulling him on into the other room, "there are plenty more pretties, should you must this one up!"

As she spoke, her fingers started to unhook the blue dress, she stepped out of it, swished another over her shinningly coiffured head. This was an evening gown, ex-

tremely décolleté, its cloth of gleaming gold, shimmering like a knight's polished armor. She kicked off the blue slippers, wiggled into matching gold ones, caught up a wrap of deep green velvet, with an enormous collar of white fur.

Again she pirouetted around and around for him.

"YOU look very grand," he said again. "But you look so different, not at all like the girl I married. Beautiful, of course, no one could deny that. But no, it's shock his head, 'I think I liked the way that other girl looked better.'"

The dancing light went out of Connie's eyes. "Darling," she said, "aren't you being a bit—well, stuffy? Those clothes really were impossible, you know. I looked a fright in them."

"You looked all right to me," he insisted. He looked now, as Connie had first thought upon seeing him, like a young man who was very certain as to what he liked and thought. "That thing you've got on . . . it's scarcely decent, showing so much of your neck and arms. I liked your hair the other way."

"But I'm not that other girl any longer," Connie said. The hidden fire leapt into her eyes. "This is the way I always looked, the way I wore my hair. You'll have to get used to me."

"I suppose I shall," Bret said. He turned away from her. He had not even kissed her! She ran to him, burst into tears, flung her arms around his neck.

"I'll send you all back, if you want me to!" she sobbed. "How can you treat me like this, when our honeymoon isn't even over? I wanted something to do, to amuse myself. I wanted to make myself lovely, for you."

"There, there!" Bret said. He patted her shaking shoulder, but had she glanced up she would have seen that his expression had not changed; his dark eyes were somber. "Of course, I don't want you to send them back. Not if you want to keep them. And by the way, this honeymoon is over. The bridge is finished. And now, sweetheart, you'll have to give me a little more time to get used to you—please remember that."

Her arms tightened around his neck; she ceased crying, moved closer. She had won in this, the first quarrel they had had since their marriage.

But something told her that tears and tantrums, maybe even kisses and young slim arms, might not always win if Bret felt himself entirely in the right.

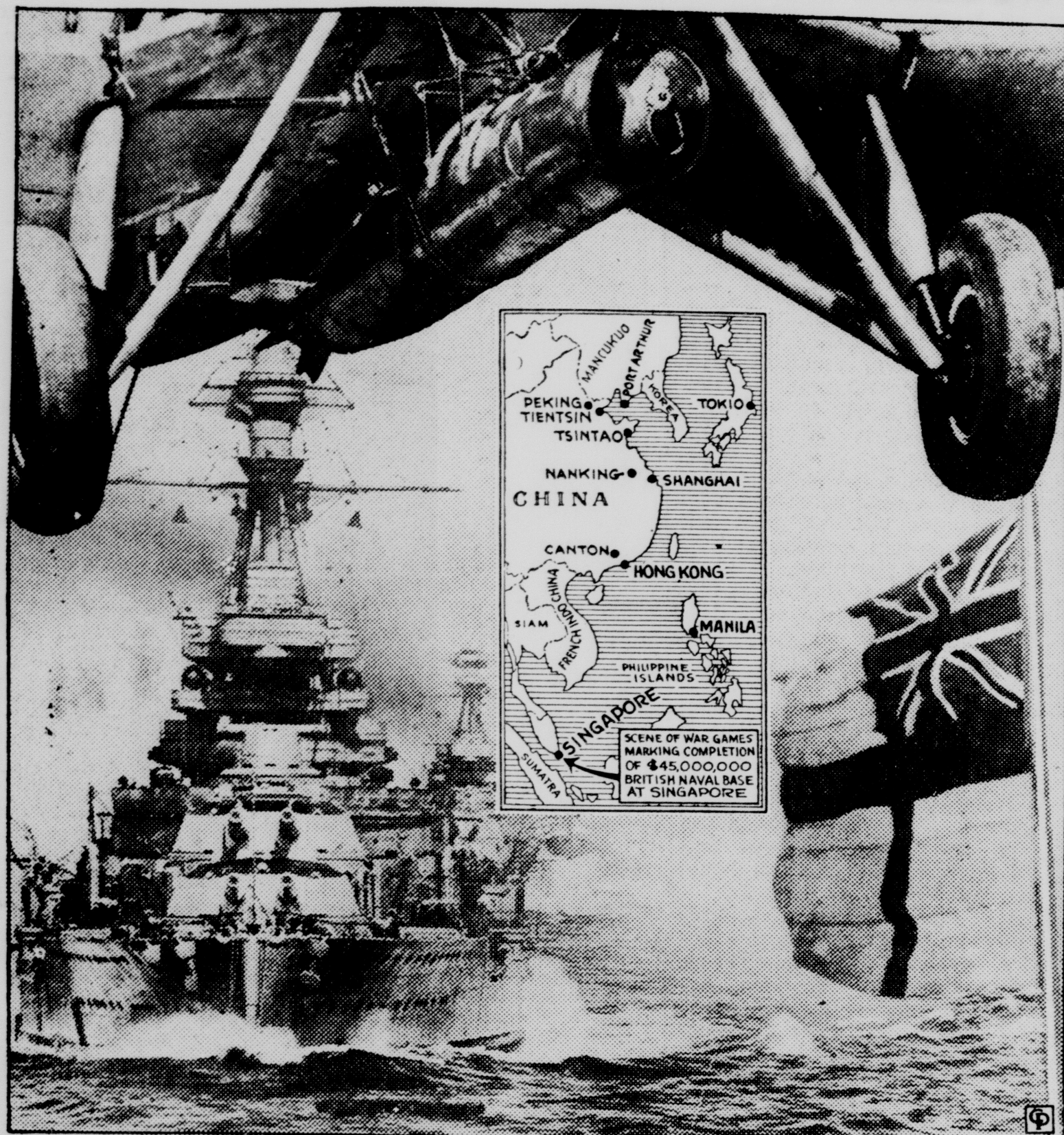
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SIDE GLANCES By George Clark



"I'm afraid we can't go after all. The baby won't let us."

APPROACHING MANEUVERS AT SINGAPORE BY BRITAIN'S LAND, SEA AND AIR FORCES PROVIDE JAPAN WITH FOOD FOR THOUGHT



Great Britain's land, sea and air maneuvers in connection with the approaching opening of her new naval base at Singapore is certain to impress Japan as well as other nations, military observers declare.

By J. ALLISON BORS
Central Press Writer
NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Concentration in the Far East of powerful British land, sea and air defense units, ostensibly for maneuvers prior to the formal opening Feb. 12 of the new \$45,000,000 naval base at Singapore, is being watched by military and diplomatic leaders the world over for its possible effect upon Japan's future activities in Asia.

The maneuvers, scheduled for Jan. 31 to Feb. 5, have been planned on a scale that is certain to impress military-conscious Japan. According to reports from London, an estimated 10,000 troops, 25 warships and the largest number of war planes ever assembled by the British in the Far East will participate in the empire's "show of strength" at Singapore, nicknamed the "Gibraltar of Asia".

What They'll See

Singapore island's population of more than half a million, plus several thousand visitors, will have an opportunity to see the following land, sea and air units in action: the first battalion of the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers and the second battalion of the Gordon Highlanders, garrisoned

at Singapore, reinforced by two Punjab regiments and one Malay regiment; four local air force squadrons from India and one from Iraq; the aircraft carrier Eagle and ships of the Asiatic fleet.

Climax of the festivities, of course, will be the opening of the new dock Feb. 12 by Sir Shenton Thomas, governor of the Straits Settlements. The Settlements is a British crown colony of islands of which Singapore island is the most important and Singapore city is the capital.

Among the high government officials who are expected to witness the opening ceremonies are Col. J. J. Llewellyn, civil lord of the admiralty in London; Vice Admiral Sir Alexander Ramsey, commander-in-chief in the East Indies, and Vice Admiral L. G. E. Crabbe, who is acting as commander-in-chief in China. Also invited are representatives from Australia, New Zealand and Hong Kong.

Japan Suspicious

While no comment has been made officially in Japan concerning the forthcoming British maneuvers, nevertheless, some Japanese see in the ceremonies a hint of possible Anglo-American cooperation in the Far East. This feeling has been intensified by the recent announcement that three United States cruisers, returning home from a courtesy visit to Australia, will pay a call at Singapore about the time of the maneuvers. The vessels are the light cruisers Trenton, Milwaukee and Memphis.

Referring to the maneuvers and the scheduled visit of the American naval craft, a Tokyo newspaper recently asserted that the naval base at Singapore actually is not completed and that the opening was pushed ahead to obtain American attendance as a demonstration against Japan. Despite the newspaper's charge that the maneuvers and the visit of American vessels were made to coincide to create an impression of Anglo-American understanding in the Pacific, the three United States cruisers will play a very minor role in the festivities.

While the Malay peninsula and the Asiatic mainland are reverberating for the first time to the steel voices of Singapore's new 15 and 18-inch batteries, said to be the most powerful land batteries in the world, Great Britain will not be neglecting other vital areas of its far-flung empire.

Watchful Eyes

According to reports, as to the

date for maneuvers approaches, several air force units are moving Far East to stations near the Suez canal to keep a watchful eye on the British "life line", threatened on several occasions by "pirate" planes and submarines in the Mediterranean.

Present dramatic incidents in the Far East recall Singapore's transition in slightly more than 100 years from a pirate-infested island to a powerful defense outpost of the British empire.

Desire of Sir Thomas Stamford Raffles, an employee of the East India company, to establish an outpost to counteract the growth of Dutch influence in that section of the world, led to the founding of Singapore in 1819. Despite opposition by the Dutch and only half-hearted support from his home government, Sir Raffles succeeded in gaining the island for the British. Possession of the island was ratified in 1924 by the payment to the Sultan of Johore of \$60,000 and a life annuity of \$24,000.

Today Singapore is the most important of the British Straits Settlements. The island lies off the southern point of the Malay peninsula, is 27 miles long and 14 wide and has a total area of 217 square miles. It is well watered and has a hot, damp climate.

Important Port

The city of Singapore, capital of the Settlements, is situated on the southern end of the island of that name. It has a commodious harbor, and its geographical position at the eastern entrance to the Strait of Malacca, its proximity to the Malay archipelago, and its policy of free trade have made it a shipping center in the Far East, surpassed (prior to the undeclared Sino-Japanese war) only by the great Chinese ports.

As the scene of Britain's dramatic military maneuvers which may have a vital effect upon events in the Far East, fortified Singapore today takes on added importance in a war-scarred world hurriedly rearming for protection or aggression.

And as guns boom and war planes drone overhead, reminding the world that Great Britain intends to defend its stake in the Far East a bronze statue of Sir Raffles, who founded the island for England, will look down on the Singapore spectacle for which he, indirectly, was responsible.

FOOD OUTLOOK FOR THE DAIRY BRANCH

Agricultural Bureau Sees Better Prospects.

Supplied by the United States Department of Agriculture—WAP Service.
Conditions in the dairy industry are likely to average better in the next three or four years than during the last four or five, it was stated by the bureau of agricultural economics in its annual dairy outlook report.

The bureau looks for rising prices of milk cows in 1938 and 1939. It was further stated that "during the next two years, at least, the relation of feed prices and other costs of production to prices of dairy products seems likely to be rather favorable for dairymen."

This winter prices of dairy feeds will be lower and milk production per cow will be higher. Increases in consumption of fluid milk and cream in cities and villages will tend to offset in part the effect of increased production of milk on the production of manufactured dairy products, the bureau said.

Principal increases in commercial dairy production during the next few years are expected in specialized dairy sections and in some of the newer areas where there has been a marked upward trend in production. Increased consumption of fluid milk and cream during the next five years also was forecast.

The long-time upturn in per capita consumption of manufactured dairy products during the last 40 years was attributed mainly to increased consumption of ice cream, concentrated milks and cheese. Since the 1890's there has been no consistent tendency for the per capita consumption of butter to increase or decrease.

Improvements in processing methods and in refrigeration and transportation facilities, together with advertising and educational programs have tended to widen and expand the outlets for dairy products.

Daily Record of Hens Is Advice of Expert

The poultry flock, like a football team, needs a record of plays made, of the number of first downs or eggs laid, and the number of players taken out of the game or the number of hens removed from the laying house. The man who sells eggs finds it pays to count his chickens both before and after they are hatched, if he wants to know how well his flock is producing, says Prof. L. M. Hurd of the poultry department at Cornell University.

A daily record of eggs laid by pullets and by hens, together with a record of all culling and deaths in the flock helps the poultryman to find the source of his profit or loss. A calendar to jot down this daily information may be fastened to the wall of the egg room.

At an early age, girls of the Ubangi tribe, of Africa, insert small wooden discs in their lips and gradually increase the size of these discs until, at maturity, a prize beauty has lips a foot in diameter.

Movie Scrapbook

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The P. T. A. of Pin Oak school met Friday afternoon, January 21st. The meeting was opened by singing, "My Country 'Tis of Thee," followed by saluting the flag. A business session followed. They are to have a spoon supper Friday evening, January 28 at 6:30 P. M. C. F. Scotten will be the speaker of the evening.

The next meeting will be held Friday afternoon, February 18.

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Indian Music Is Presented at The Sorosis Club

Indian music featured the program at the meeting of Sorosis, at the Heard club house Monday afternoon, presented by a group from the Helen G. Steele Music club with Miss Martha Redmond chairman.

To make the program more realistic the stage was arranged to represent an Indian campfire scene. The participants were in Indian costumes, and were weaving, grinding corn or performing some duty typical of an Indian.

Mrs. D. P. Dyer, president of Sorosis, was in charge of the business meeting of that club, which preceded the program. Mrs. H. C. Johnson made a talk on American music, stressing particularly the work being done to bridge the gap between folk songs and the higher arts.

The program of music was presented as published in Sunday's Democrat, after a narration by Miss Edythe Couey.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. LaRue, 601 West Fourth street, entertained a number of friends at their home last Friday night. The time was spent in playing Chinese checkers, and refreshments were served.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Dave Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fritts, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Ficklen, children, Billie and Joann, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hamby, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Rabourn, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Launwell, Mrs. C. R. Dunlap, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nanney, Carl Diehl, Maurine Wetzel, Lyle Green, Sweet Springs, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Winfrey, LaMonte, S. K. Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Zephail Choplin.

Mr. and Mrs. LaRue, the latter formerly Mrs. Mary Winfrey of LaMonte, were married last Tuesday at the home of Rev. Crabtree, in LaMonte.

A number of relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Benz assembled at their home January 23 to assist in the celebration of the third anniversary of the birth of their little son's birthday. Dinner, to which all contributed, was served at the noon hour.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Snapp and sons, Ralph and Edsel and daughter, Alma Edna, Mr. and Mrs. David Wear and son, Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Wimer, of Green Ridge, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Benz and sons, Earl and Marvin and daughter, Dora, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Benz, Dresden, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Lazenby, of LaMonte, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ulmer, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams, of Camp Branch, Sam Ransdell, Sedalia, Mrs. Myrtle Morgenstern and son, Raymond, of Sedalia, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Benz and son, Ervin Eugene, of Camp Branch.

J. T. Alexander, music director at Smith-Cotton high school, will attend the meeting of the Helen G. Steele Music club at the Heard Memorial club house Wednesday afternoon, and will make a talk.

Mr. Alexander's talk will be in addition to the program on Indian music, which was presented at the Sorosis meeting Monday, and which will be repeated for the Music club.

CHURCH EVENTS
The Senior Christian Endeavor of the East Broadway Christian church held a business meeting at the home of Miss Margaret Lee Collins Monday night. Plans for the program on February 6 were made, and the first Wednesday meeting in each month was selected as the regular meeting night.

The next meeting will be held

'Champion Grandma' Has 198 Descendants



Mrs. McCabe

FIRST winner of the title, "Champion Grandma of America," Mrs. Terence McCabe, 89, of Cresco, Ia., has 11 children, 108 grandchildren and 79 great-grandchildren. She was awarded a rocking chair by Kansas Senator Capper.

at the home of Miss Lavera Trueman. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served. Those present were:

Mrs. Jack Olds and son, Bobby, Donald Trueman, Lavera Trueman, Roy Thistlethwaite, Mrs. Collins and children, Margaret Lee, Betty, Martha, Eugene, and Bill Joe, Mary Alice Taylor, and Vera Carson.

DEBATES BE HELD AT HIGH SCHOOL

Wednesday afternoon the Smith Cotton inter-mural tournament will be held as part of the regular debate club meeting. There will be twenty debaters and five debates. The debates will be held in various rooms of the high school. The debates will start about 4:15. The judges will be members of the faculty, or students.

Thursday night, at 7:30 the decisive round in the preliminary for the state championship debate will be held. Warrensburg will be the opponent of Smith-Cotton. Warrensburg has won both prior debates as has Smith-Cotton, so the debate Thursday night promises to be a very closely matched one.

The Smith-Cotton debaters for that night have not been announced as yet.

The victors will go to Warrensburg in February for the district debate, and the winners in the district will enter in the finals at Columbia where the state championship debaters will be determined.

The judges for the debate Thursday night will be faculty members of Warrensburg State Teachers College.

WOMAN ELECTS TO SERVE TIME WITH HUSBAND

ROCK HILL, S. C., Jan. 25.—(AP)—A woman refused a suspended sentence in circuit court so she could be with her husband in prison.

Robert Withers and his wife, Mrs. Ada Dorster Withers, were sentenced to six months each after they pleaded guilty yesterday to housebreaking and larceny.

Then Judge W. H. Grimbail suspended Mrs. Withers' sentence. "But," objected Mrs. Withers, "I don't want to be separated from my husband. I want to go to the penitentiary with him."

Judge Grimbail granted the request.

S-C SENIOR ASSEMBLY PROGRAM BY ALLIANCE

The Smith-Cotton Senior high school assembly will be held in the auditorium Wednesday morning at 8:30.

A Ministerial Alliance program will be presented.

All friends and patrons of the high school are cordially invited to attend this assembly.

VISITORS TO THE POTTER HOME AS SUNDAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Jabe Potter, of Clifton City, had as their Sunday dinner guests their children, Emogene and Jack, who are attending Missouri Valley College, Marshall, Mrs. Harry Miller, of Kansas City, and Mr. and Mrs. James Potter and son, J. E., Mr. and Mrs. Tasso Potter, Columbia, Mrs. Machin Gardner, of Chicago, and Mrs. Essie Holmes, Clifton City.

POLICE UNEARTH \$13,260 IN OLD BILLS

POCATELLO, Idaho, Jan. 25.—(AP)—Police unearthed \$13,260 in old, large-size bills last night in the home of Mrs. Jamima Williams, WPA worker, who died Saturday. Chief Robert Pugmire said one was of \$1,000 denomination.

FORMER KAISER WILHELM BE 79 YEARS OLD THURSDAY

DOORN, THE Netherlands, Jan. 25.—(AP)—The exiled former German Kaiser Wilhelm, who will be 79 years old on Thursday, today distributed food to 25 poor families and wood which he cut as part of his daily exercise routine.

The battle of Gettysburg was an accident in that neither army expected to fight there and neither had any desire to do so.

Auxiliary To Letter Carriers Installation

The ladies auxiliary to the City Letter Carriers and the carriers met Monday evening in a thoroughly enjoyable and well attended session at the home of Mrs. Harry Hamm, 903 East Seventh street.

New officers for the year were installed by the auxiliary Mrs. Hamm, past state president, being assisted in this by Mrs. C. O. Goodknight and Mrs. A. C. Smith. They are: Mrs. Ernest Holst, president, Mrs. Fred Brummett, vice-president, Mrs. C. O. Goodknight, recording secretary, Mrs. Elliott Hammond, financial secretary and treasurer, Mrs. A. C. Smith, mistress-at-arms, Mrs. Harvey Hale, chaplain, Mrs. Harry Hamm, color bearer.

The new president and staff of officers plan an active and interesting program for the year. After the business meeting Mrs. Hamm served refreshments of cake and coffee and a social time was enjoyed in pinochle and Chinese checkers.

Chilli Supper Y. M. P. Class East Broadway Christian church, Wednesday, January 26th. 5:30 till 8:00.

AFL DISCUSSES PEACE PROSPECTS

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 25.—(AP)—The makeup of the Pennsylvania Federation of Labor became a factor today in determining whether the American Federation of Labor shall seek peace or war with the rival committee for industrial organization.

The point at issue before the midwinter meeting of the national organization's executive council was an appeal by the state body from a demand for reorganization. The AFL had threatened to revoke the state unit's charter unless it ousted CIO affiliates.

The United Mine Workers of John L. Lewis, who also heads the CIO steel workers, garment makers, textile and radio and electrical workers are among the CIO unions prominent in the Pennsylvania federation lineup. Officials said President John Phillips and other members of the Keystone delegation held that action against these units would merely widen the breach between the rival labor organizations at a time when prospects were right for a truce.

William Green, president of the AFL, said, however, he thought the Pennsylvanians had "overdrawn the picture" and that many AFL locals were "refusing to have anything to do with the state federation as it is now constituted."

A proposal to expel the Mine Workers, the Amalgamated Clothing Workers headed by Sidney Hillman and possibly other CIO unions is to come before the council during its two-week session.

YOUNG PEOPLE TO HAVE BANQUET

The annual banquet of the young people at the Broadway Presbyterian church is being served Wednesday evening, January 26, in the service building. This is a special feature in the young peoples program of the church and a splendid time is anticipated by those attending. The program is as follows:

Theme: "Building a life." Group singing. Piano solo: Louis Ott. Talk: "The Architect" Mack Crafton.

Harmonica solo: "David Waggoner." Talk: "Foundations" Kenneth Wasson.

Violin Solo: Annabelle Hugelman. Talk: "Walls" Evelyn Hasemier. Vocal solo: Alice Blake. Talk: "Tools" Verill Martin. Reading: Alene Rayne. Talk: "Furnishing" Mary Frances Dotson.

Violin solo: Forrest Heacock. Talk: Rev. Oscar Rumpf. Accordion solo: Elaine Capen. Group singing.

The name of the organization giving the program is the Tuxis group. The name meaning "you and I training for service with Christ."

DEATH SUDDEN TO JACOB BRUNJES

Jacob Brunjes, aged 71, well known Benton county banker and stock raiser, died suddenly at 7 o'clock Monday morning, while sitting in a chair waiting for breakfast, at his home, one mile west of Cole Camp.

He leaves besides his wife three children, Miss Emily Brunjes, who resides at 710 West Fourth street, Sedalia, and is employed at the Quinn Brothers Shoe Store, Mrs. Elmer Heinssoth, of Cole Camp, and Miss Hannah Brunjes, of the home. Also surviving are one brother, John Brunjes, Cole Camp, and one sister, Mrs. Henry Borchers, Meade, Kas.

Mr. Brunjes was president of the Citizens-Farmers Bank of Cole Camp.

Funeral services will be held at the Trinity Lutheran church, Cole Camp, at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

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From Workshops to Opera



Far from their laundry and beauty parlor jobs are Helen Dupca (left) and Rita Lieberman, pictured as they made their operatic debut in the Philadelphia Civic Opera Company's presentation of "Cavalleria Rusticana." The girls are products of the W. P. A. singing classes in Philadelphia. Miss Dupca is 18, Miss Lieberman 21. (Central Press)

MANY BEQUESTS IN WILL TO PROBATE

A large number of bequests were made in the will of the late Mrs. Lillian May Shoemaker, which has been admitted to probate court. They are as follows:

To her brother, Lyman M. Littlefield, \$5,000 of notes, etc.; to her sister, Mrs. Nora E. Thompson, \$2,000; to Allie Dell Littlefield, \$1,000; to Georgia Hope Littlefield, \$1,000; to Rebecca J. Littlefield, \$500; to W. W. Littlefield, \$200; to Nora M. Welch, \$500; to Tillie Roberts, \$500; to trustees First Baptist church, Knob Noster, \$500; to the Baptist Orphans Home, St. Louis, \$200; to the Foreign Board of the Southern Baptist convention of Atlanta, Ga., \$500; to the Melita Day Nursery, Sedalia, \$200; to the Salvation Army, Sedalia, \$100.

The remainder of the estate was left to the deceased's brother, Lyman M. Littlefield, and a sister, Mrs. Nora E. Thompson, and Mr. Littlefield is named executor of the will, which was made March 16, 1936.

LEGION TO SECURE FLAGS FOR SCHOOLS

American flags for schools in the post area of Pettis County Post No. 16, American Legion, will be purchased by that organization with funds raised from serving an old-fashioned oyster stew Saturday, February 5.

Through cooperation of the Kinney Shoe Co., C. E. Igenfritz and Charles Gentry, manager of the Igenfritz building, the storehouse at 228 South Ohio, just south of the Third street intersection has been made available for the Legion, according to announcement today by Robert O. Henderson, post member in charge of arrangements. For this event the storehouse will be heated. Serving will begin at 11 a. m. and continue to 7 p. m. Two hundred tickets have been sold the first two days of sale and the Legion anticipates a patronage of close to 2,000 persons. Ten gallons of oysters have been ordered.

Card of Thanks
We wish to thank our friends and neighbors, Rev. Aitwell, Rev. Hurd, singers, pall bearers and those who sent flowers, for their kindness and sympathy during the recent illness and death of our dear wife and mother.
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MARKET QUOTAS ON FOUR CROPS IS PREDICTED NOW

Senate-House Committee Near Agreement On Compromise Bill

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—Senator Pope (D-Iaho), who helped draft the pending crop control legislation, predicted today that its marketing quota provisions would apply to four crops this year—corn, wheat, cotton and tobacco.

Pope said a senate-house committee was near agreement on a compromise bill. It held sessions yesterday morning and afternoon and last night.

He explained that marketing quotas (limits on the amount of the four crops which farmers may sell) would go into operation when indicated supplies reached certain levels. Two-thirds of the farmers voting in a referendum would have to approve the system.

Pope said the levels at which these controls would operate had been set midway between limits fixed by the separate house and senate bills.

He said marketing controls probably would not operate for rice, fifth crop in the new "ever-normal granary" program, because supplies could accumulate to higher levels before limits on sales applied.

Vote on Limiting Sales

The normal supply of wheat, for example, is fixed in the compromise bill at average annual domestic consumption and exports for the previous ten years, plus 15 per cent as a reserve. When this reserve climbs to 35 per cent of exports and consumption, farmers would vote on limiting sales.

The corn program would operate in a similar manner, except that the reserve is 7 per cent above exports and consumption, and the quota level is 10 per cent above that combined total.

Farmers selling more than their assigned quotas of corn or wheat would face a penalty of 15 cents a bushel.

Cotton controls would operate in a slightly different manner, conferees said. If farmers approved quotas, each man would receive a certain acreage, from which he would market all the cotton he produced.

The normal cotton level is fixed at exports and domestic consumption, plus a reserve of 35 per cent. When indicated supplies for any season were 10 per cent over this total, a referendum would be conducted.

Farmers failing to stay within cotton acreage or quota limits would face a penalty of two cents a pound this year and three cents a pound thereafter.

The tobacco program calls for marketing quotas when indicated supplies are above annual domestic consumption and exports, plus a reserve of 175 per cent of annual domestic consumption and 65 per cent of exports. Tobacco quotas would be on a poundage basis. The penalty for excess sales would be 50 per cent of the purchase price.

Conferees voted yesterday to require government loans on corn, wheat and cotton whenever prices dropped below certain fixed levels and marketing quotas were operating.

Foreign visitors spent more than \$125,000,000 in England during 1935.

James Figg, an Englishman, is known as the father of professional prize fighting.

DICK POWELL IS SLAPPED—JOAN WATCHES

Joan Blondell, returning unexpectedly from a Catalina vacation, got back to Warner Bros. studio just in time to see another woman slap her husband's face.

The other woman was Lola Lane. The husband as you know was Dick Powell. And the slap was so heartily administered it left a mark.



It happened in a huge hotel lobby. Joan entering in search of Dick was halted by a milling mob of people. Over their heads she could see Dick in excited altercation with Miss Lane at the lobby entrance to the coffee shop.

"But, darling," she heard Dick say to the beautiful Lola, "don't you remember I kissed you last night?"

There was pleading in his

voice. But Lola glared and, for reply, slapped his face—hard.

Wide-eyed, in slacks and loose tweed coat, Joan craned to take it all in. Then a whistle blew, the crowd parted, and Dick seeing Joan ran to greet her. Lola came up on his heels. Joan grinned at her.

"Bet you wouldn't do that to him," said Lola. "I wouldn't, either, except that it's in the script."

For it was all a part of Warner Bros. spectacular musical "Hollywood Hotel," now showing thru Thursday at the Liberty Theatre. The lobby was really a stage set. Busby Berkeley was the director.

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LODGES
Job's Daughters, Bethel No. 15, will not meet this week as formerly announced. The next regular meeting will be Wednesday night, February 9.
Willa Mae Hollcroft, H. Q. Ruby Joyce, Recorder.
Sedalia Chapter No. 57 O. E. S. will meet in regular session Tuesday evening, Jan. 25 at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting members welcome.
HATTIE MAE CORBETT, W. M. MAY HIGHLEYMAN, Sec'y.
Notice
Sedalia Rebekah lodge No. 125 will meet Tuesday night Jan. 25, at the Woodman-Maccabee Hall, 412 1/2 South Ohio street at 7 o'clock instead of 7:30 in order to join Loyal 260 and Neapolis I. O. O. F. in a program celebrating the birthday of Thomas Wildey, the founder of Odd Fellowship. Public invited.
Masonic Notice
Sedalia Council No. 42, R. and S. M., will meet in special assembly Thursday evening, January 27, at 5 o'clock, for work in R. M. and S. M. degrees. Dinner at 6:30. The Grand Master and Grand High Priest will both be present. Visiting companions welcome.
Chas. T. Plumlee, I. M. J. P. Hurt, Recorder.

CALHOUN CAGERS TO PLAY SMITH-COTTON TONIGHT

Visitors Have Formidable Team To Contest With The Tigers

Promptly at 7:45 o'clock tonight the Smith-Cotton Tigers will play the Calhoun high school basketball team on the local high school court.

Coach Donald Davenport is not positive as to just what his starting lineup will be for tonight since the last session of basketball for the Tigers "kinda" upset them and made things look rather terrible for Calhoun when Clinton dug into the scores and pulled out a 46-26 win here last Friday.

Calhoun is not to be overlooked as being a "hot" team, the players have been tossing the sphere through basket hoops since early last fall starting their work on out-door courts and following up in the winter with indoor basketball. Their only practice is when they journey to Clinton or Windsor for practice because they have no "gym" in their town.

The visitors have been plenty of trouble this year to their opposition and their loss to Windsor by one-point does not help matters any as to Sedalia as the Tigers were only able to edge out a four-point victory over Windsor recently.

Tonight's affair will see Bob Alpert in action with Meyers, Agnelli, Hayes, Studer, Kurtz, Michaelis, McCord, Lingie, Shoemaker, Boyesen and Carver, but just what five will place out on the court at the start has not been decided.

George Ramsey, Clinton, will referee.

RESULTS OF FIGHTS ON MONDAY NIGHT

CHICAGO—Tony Zale, 159½, Gray, Ind., outpointed Henry Schaff, 154, Minneapolis and Des Moines, Iowa (8).

PITTSBURGH—Billy Conn, 165, Pittsburgh, outpointed Honey Boy Jones, 158, Pittsburgh (12). LONDON—Denny Paul, Richmond, Alberta, knocked out Eddie Morgan, London (1) weights unavailable.

WASHINGTON—Al Reid, 127, New York, outpointed Tony Dupre, 126½, Manchester, N. H. (8).

ST. LOUIS—Eric Seelig, 161½, Germany, outpointed Joey Parks, 163½, St. Louis (10).

NEWARK, N. J.—Eric Seelig, 173½, Philadelphia, knocked out Freddie Fiducia, 186, Newark (8).

HOLYOKE, Mass.—Charley Gomer, 132, Baltimore, technically knocked out Pat Foley, 133, Worcester, (4).

PHILADELPHIA—Steve Dudas, 191, North Bergen, N. J., outpointed Bob Olin, 180½, New York, (10).

RICHMOND, Va.—Ray Ingram, 137½, Washington, D. C., outpointed Charles (Stumpy) Jacobs, 138, Hopewell, Va., (10).

PICARD VICTOR IN PASADENA OPEN

PASADENA, Calif., Jan. 25.—(P)—The play-for-pay golfing delegation bade goodbye to southern California for a year today and turned north for further cracks at the money scattered along the winter tournament trail.

Henry Picard, tall, dark and handsome pro from Hershey, Pa., won the \$3,000 Pasadena open yesterday and led his touring brethren to Oakland for the \$5,000 open there this weekend.

Picard finished the 72 holes with 76-66-71-69-276, best score ever made in the local tourna-

ment.

Jimmy Hines, Garden City, N. Y., who has been threatening to climb back into top money was second with 278, and Byron Nelson, with a third round 64, nosed out Jimmy Thomson for third. Nelson had 279 and hard-hitting Thomson, falling off from 64 to 74 yesterday, had 280.

Johnny Revolta of Evanston, Ill., had 281. Horton Smith, Chicago, and Jack Grout, Picard's assistant, tied with 282.

The money results of the year, starting with the Los Angeles open, which Thomson won, found the following high-winners: Thomson, \$2,380; Picard, \$1,715, including \$700 won yesterday; Revolta, \$1,530; Hines, \$952.50; Lawson Little, San Francisco, \$865; Sam Snead, White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., \$735.55; Horton Smith, \$695; Nelson, Willie Goggin, San Francisco, Lloyd Mangrum, Dayton, O., and George Von Elm, Los Angeles, \$350 each.

Harry Cooper, leading money winner in 1937, has won only \$185.

The Sports Roundup

By EDDIE BRIETZ

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—(P)—Ted Broadbribb, who got the old heavy-ho as Tommy Farr's manager, bet on Braddock and cleaned up \$2,500 at 3 to 1. . . . How many bleedin' bob is that? . . . Dr. James Stotter, the New York plastic surgeon, has a blonde nurse named Sonja Henie, but the gal can't skate a lick, believe it or not. . . . Sue us if we're wrong, but Ralph Guldahl, national open champion, is getting ready to transfer from the swanky Miami-Biltmore Country club to the Palm Beach C. C. . . . From Sunny St. Pete, where the Joe Medwickers are lolling, comes word that an important announcement may be expected any week now.

Bill Terrys long-awaited blast at sports writers wasn't nearly as hot, or as vicious, as advance notices hinted. . . . Bill devoted most of his 2,500 words to telling what a swell job he has done at becoming a success. . . . Well, you can't laugh off \$40,000 a year (and for five years) now can you? . . . Correction: Buck Everett, the fighter, isn't a full-blooded Cherokee Indian, as we chronicled here the other day, but a former Gary, Ind., steel worker. . . . The Injun must have been some other buck. . . . Georges Carpentier, the old "orchid man" has just been decorated with the French Legion of Honor and is the first fighter to be so signally remembered. . . . Incidentally, Georges' cocktail joint on the famous Rue de la Paix is doing what the boys call the biz.

Mike Jacobs has sunk 48,000 potatoes into the Sonja Henie ice carnival at Miami next month. . . . But then Mike can afford it—he has only averaged \$40,000 for the eight fight shows he has put on in the Garden. . . . Jackie Wright, the Huntington (W. Va.) high school football sensation, has just about made up his mind to pass up a score of big time college offers and enroll at Marshall college in the old home state. . . . This news will make Elmer Layden's heart bleed. . . . Note to J. G. J., Phoenix, Ariz.: So far as we know the original Pal Moran still is in New Orleans. . . . If Jesse Owens is reinstated by the A. A. U. you can expect a rush to the colors.

Several big time schools would like to flirt with Wallace Wade of Duke (and maybe are) but there is too much gold at Duke. . . . Miss Alene Beard, coach of a girls' basketball team at Vallant, Okla., has to address six members of her squad as "Mrs." . . . You gals who want to reduce may take this for what it is: worth: Nancy Hatch, the reducing expert, says the best sport for taking it off is tennis. . . . How do they do it? . . . Bobby Riggs, No. 2 national ranking tennis player, who makes all the big tournaments, gets \$30 per week on a job he works at in Chicago—when not playing tennis.

THINK PRESENT DAY PLAYERS PAY IS SCANDALOUS

Mickey Welch, Old Timer No Supporter of Di-Maggio's Demands

By GAYLE TALBOT
NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—(P)—Joe DiMaggio, demanding \$35,000 for performing with the Yankees the coming season, finds no supporter in a player of a bygone day, Mickey Welch, who pitched for the original New York Giants from 1882 to 1892.

Welch, now 78, thinks the present day salary scale in the big leagues is scandalous and that it is damaging to team spirit the way the figures of the various players are aired annually. It's bound to make the little fellows jealous, he reasons.

"Most I ever got in my life was \$4,000 a year," he recalled, "and that was right at the end of my career. Believe me, I worked for it, too. Days I was not pitching I played centerfield."

Welch's manager at that time was the colorful Jim Mutrie, first pilot of the Giants, who died here yesterday at the age of 86. They were great pals, but he can't even imagine what would have happened to their friendship if he had tried to hold out on Mutrie for a larger salary.

"Buck Ewing, the greatest catcher who ever lived, was the highest paid man on the team at \$3,200," Welch said. "The third year, I think it was, Buck asked Mutrie for \$3,500, pointing out that he was captain and practically field manager of the team. Mutrie finally agreed to the raise providing Buck would catch 100 games, which he did."

"This DiMaggio, now, he's no super player. He's a low-ball hitter and we would have pitched to him in my day. He never would have seen a ball like that one he knocked out of the park on Cliff Melton in the last game of the world series. He's not half the player that Buck Ewing was."

It might be pointed out, if Welch seems slightly prejudiced in Ewing's case, that Buck was his battery mate. On July 3, 1885, with Ewing catching, Welch shut out Chicago, 1 to 0. They hopped to Buffalo that night, and the next morning Welch stopped Buffalo, 6 to 0. That afternoon he weakened slightly and beat Buffalo only 6 to 2. He won 17 straight games before that string was broken.

CHEMISTS LOSE 42 TO 32 AT EL DORADO

The Cruise Drug Company of El Dorado Springs, fine independent basketball team of that city won over the American Disinfecting Company "Chemists" 42 to 32 last night in El Dorado. The "Druggists" are undefeated thus far and have a very powerful offense led by Charlie Workman who was second all-American forward in the national A. A. U. tournament last year.

The game was fairly close throughout, however and until the last few minutes there was never more than six or seven points difference in the two teams.

Workman was high scorer for El Dorado with fourteen points followed by Nieuburg who had nine. The whole "Chemist" team was off it seemed, but Bob Taylor did manage to make eleven points and lead the scoring for the Adco boys followed by Zey with seven.

Thursday the "chemists" play the strong Windsor Merchants in Windsor. In the last five days the Adco boys have traveled eight hundred miles and have played four games, therefore, will welcome a two days rest.

The score:

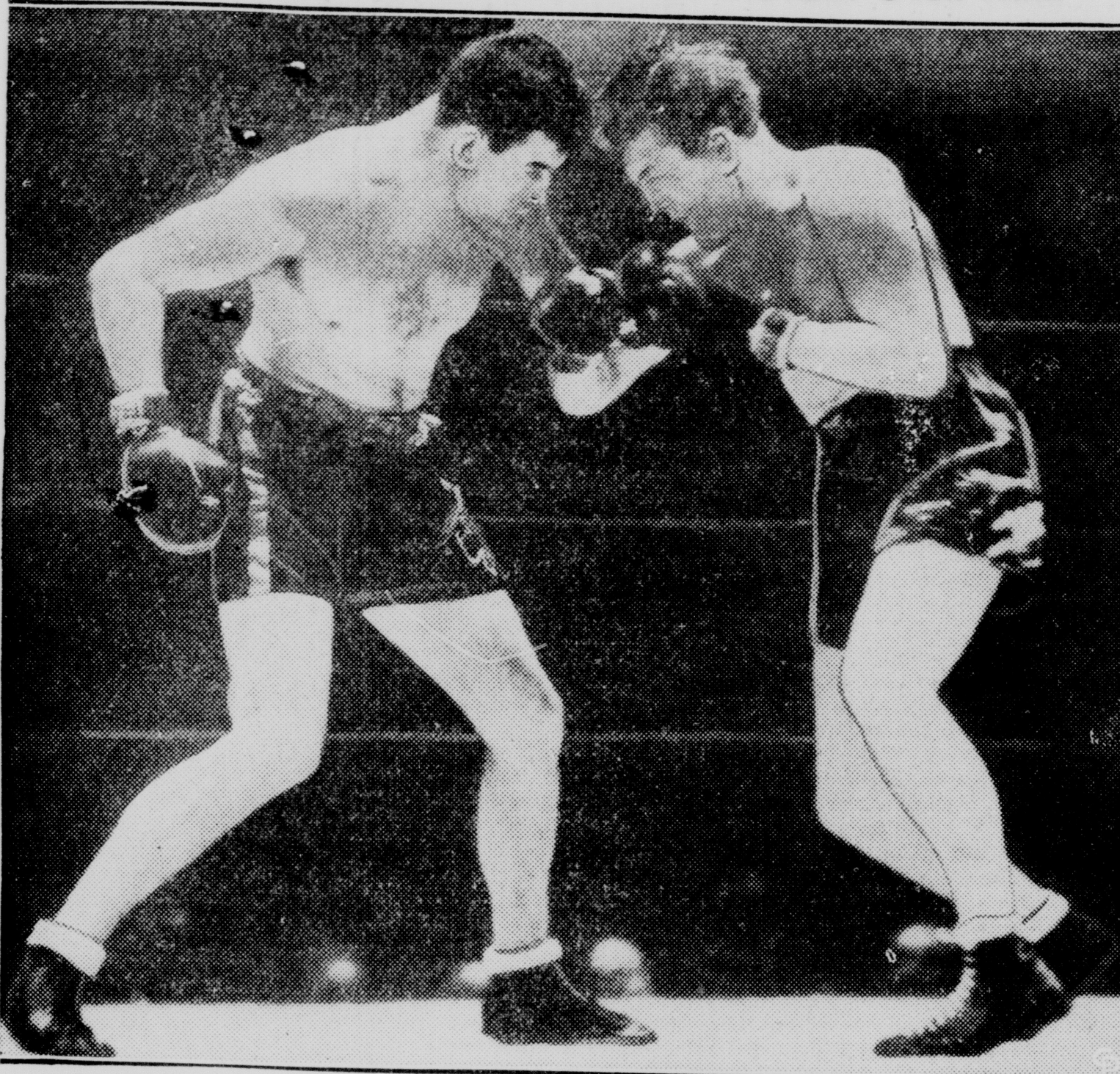
El Dorado Springs:	FG	FT	F
Workman, f	7	0	1
Weaver, f	2	3	3
Walker, f	0	0	1
Phillips, c	2	1	3
Prichard, c	0	2	1
Nieuburg, g	4	1	0
Noble, g	0	2	2
Joseph, g	1	1	2
Totals	16	10	13

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Chemists			
	FG	FT	F
M. Taylor, f-g	1	3	3
Light, f	0	0	1
Ayres, f	1	3	4
B. Taylor, c	5	1	1
Van Dyne, gf	1	2	3
Zey, g	3	1	2
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Total	11	10	14

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AS BRADDOCK SMASHES OUT VICTORY OVER FARR



Jimmy lands a left to shake Tommy in ninth round at Madison Square Garden

Launching his comeback campaign with a stunning upset victory over young Tommy Farr, Jim Braddock, former world heavyweight champion, scored a late round victory over the rugged Welshman. Braddock, who lost his crown in his last fight with Joe Louis, is shown landing a left in the ninth round at Madison Square Garden. His rally in the ninth and tenth won him a ten-round decision.

BARNEY ROSS TO TAKE A VACATION

By The Associated Press

CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—Barney Ross, world's welterweight boxing champion, will leave the latter part of the week for Miami, Fla., and a week's vacation, before entering training at Hot Springs, Ark., for anticipated action in defense of his crown this spring or summer.

Sam Pian, co-manager of Ross, is negotiating for a Ross-Jack Carroll match at Sydney, Australia, on April 18. The managers of Carroll, pride of the "down under" country, are offering \$40,000 and \$5,000 expense money, but Pian is asking for \$45,000 and \$7,000 for expenses.

TO TAKE BATTLING BAER BROTHERS TO EAST

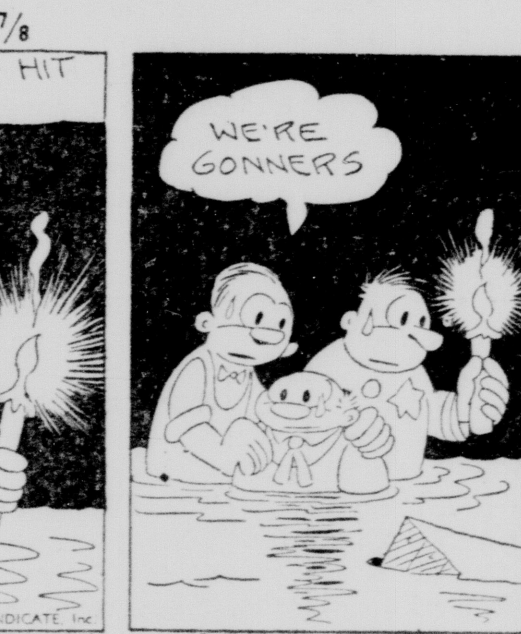
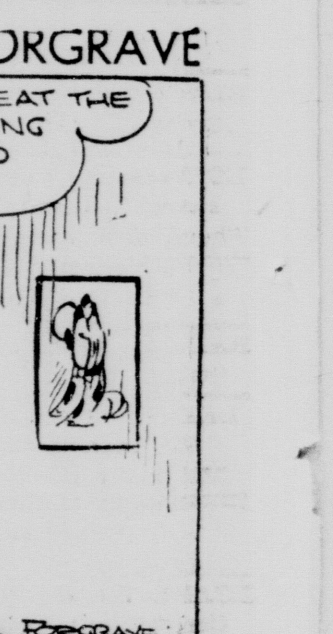
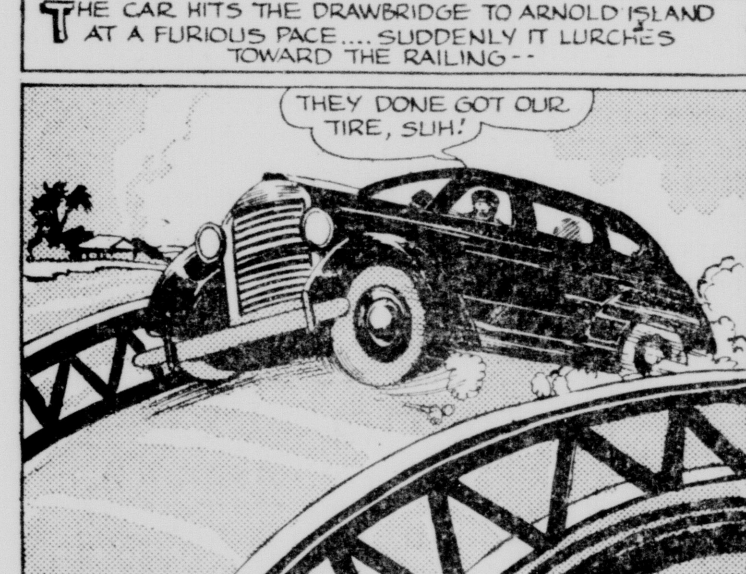
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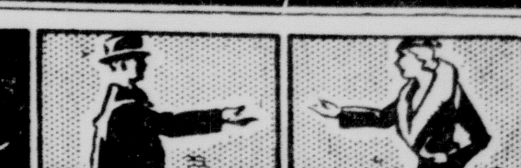




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SALE—Good mule colt. New barn at Fair Grounds. Phone 1063W.

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Coal—Clean Higginsville screened lump coal. \$4.25 and \$4.50 ton. Phone 1623.

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Cox, 4½ pounds and under10c

White ducks12c

Colored ducks12c

Geese12c

Henneries12c

No. 1 eggs14c

No. 2 eggs13c

No. 1 cream28c

No. 2 cream26c

Suspended From Exchange

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—(AP)—The New York stock exchange today announced the suspension for a period of three years of T. Gailard Thomas, II, a member of the firm of Thomas and Griffith, for violation of rules of the exchange.

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CATTLE, GRAIN, POULTRY MARKETS

St. Louis Live Stock

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Jan. 25.—(AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Hogs 6,000, none through, 800 direct; market opened 15 to 25c higher than average Monday; top \$9.15; bulk good and choice 130 to 220 pounds \$8.40 to \$9.15; no action on lighter weights; few 240 to 250 pounds; good sows strong to 10c higher, 6.65 to \$7.00.

Cattle 2,500; calves 1,500; market opening steady to strong on most classes with vealers 25c higher at \$11.50 down; a few steers \$7.25 to \$8.00 mixed yearlings and heifers \$6.25 to \$7.25; 625 pound mixed yearlings \$8.00; and beef cows \$5.00 to \$6.00; cutters and low cutters \$3.75 to \$4.75; top sausage bulls \$5.50; nominal range slaughter steers \$5.75 to \$10.25; slaughter heifers \$5.50 to \$5.50.

Sheep 4,000; not enough native lambs to make a market; odd lots to city butchers steady at \$8.00 to \$8.25; westerns late in arriving; liberal proportion still not in.

Chicago Live Stock

CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—(AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Hogs 15,000; generally 25 to 40c higher; bulk good and choice 150 to 230 pounds \$8.75 to \$9.00; top \$9.10; 240 to 270 pounds \$8.50 to \$8.80; 280 to 350 pounds \$7.65 to \$8.00; good sows to 500 pounds packing sows around 25c higher; mostly \$7.50 to \$8.00.

Cattle 7,000; calves 1,500, more or less storm market; steers predominating; steers about steady; she-stock unevenly strong to 25c higher; bulls strong and vealers 25 to 50c higher; best light steers early \$10.50; yearlings \$10.25; most sales \$7.25 to \$9.25.

Sheep 5,000; few lambs active, strong to 25c or more higher; good to choice offerings to packers \$7.50 to \$7.85; mostly; a few on strictly choice lambs to shippers \$8.15; sheep fully 25c higher.

Kansas City Live Stock

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 25.—(AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Hogs, 2,000; fairly active; uneven; 10 to 25c higher; heavier rather slow; top \$8.85; good to choice 140 to 240 pounds \$8.50 to \$8.80; sows \$6.50 to \$6.85; stock pigs to \$9.00.

Cattle 4,500, calves 800; beef steers and yearlings opening steady to strong, spots 10 to 15c higher, quality somewhat improved; other killing classes fully steady; choice around 12.75; pound steers \$2.00; other choice medium weights \$8.40 and \$8.60; choice mixed yearlings \$8.00; 856 pound heifers \$7.50; most fat cows \$5.00 to \$5.75; low cutters \$3.75 to \$4.65; selected vealers \$10.00 to \$10.50.

Sheep: 6,000 lambs active, fully steady; sheep weak; early top fed lambs \$7.50, most sales \$7.25 to \$7.50; 4th 100 pound averages at outside figure; clipper \$6.75; slaughter ewes \$3.25.

At the close, Chicago wheat futures were unchanged to ¼ cent higher compared with yesterday's finish. May 95 to 96½c, July 91 to 91½c; corn also unchanged to ¼c up, May 60½c.

St. Louis Grain Market

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 25.—(AP)—Cash: Wheat, No. 2 red \$1.03; No. 3 98c. Corn, No. 2 61½c to 61½c; No. 3 59 to 61½c.

Oats, No. 2 white 34c; No. 3 none. Futures, Close: Wheat, May 96½c bid; corn, May 60½c bid.

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FORTIFYING AT HONGKONG FOR HOLDING OFF FOE

Big Program of Harbor, Land And Air Defenses There

By JAMES A. MILLS
HONGKONG, Jan. 25.—(AP)—Fearful that Japan might attempt to extend her military activities in China toward this British crown colony, Hongkong is fortifying to such an extent that it soon may be, with Singapore, another "Gibraltar of the East."

Emergency crews of military and naval engineers, technicians and laborers are working 24 hours a day to complete a \$40,000,000 program of harbor, land and air defenses.

The hills and islets on the fringes of the colony already are bristling with heavy guns, machine gun and anti-aircraft emplacements and other preparations for an armed onslaught by land, air or water.

There are hundreds of searchlights to spot aerial attackers and mythical raids and "blackouts" are stage periodically to train the populace. Any resident fail-

ing to put out all lights when ordered may be fined up to \$1,000.

With the thousands of homes in inky darkness and the far-flung batteries of searchlights fingering the sky, the colony presents a grimly beautiful spectacle. The only noise to be heard above the eclipsed city is the drone of "invading" and "defending" planes.

Hongkong fears that someday the thunder of bombardment may be added.

Guns In The Hills

Observers say the countless machine gun nests could hold up an attacking land force for two weeks. The larger naval and land guns in the hills—said to include several 16 and 18-inch cannon of range greater than any ship mounted gun—could hold back an attack by sea.

The guns are landed and set up only under cover of darkness and guards bar all approaches to the emplacements.

British authorities claim only sufficient precautions to keep an invading force at bay until help could arrive from Singapore or even Australia or India. Singapore is three days away by warship.

Reliable sources say more than 1,000 mines have been laid for the defense of the harbor and Tolo bay, north of the Kowloon peninsula.

As fast as Hongkong's one cement factory can turn out material, concrete pillboxes and

Starving Chinese Claw Garbage Heaps for Food



The grim specter of famine is adding to the horrors of war in China. This dramatic picture speaks for itself. Refugee women and children are shown raking through a garbage dump in the International Settlement in Shanghai, seeking edible scraps. What they find may not be palatable, but will at least ease the torture of their hunger. (Central Press)

PLEASANT VIEW P. T. A. MET FRIDAY

The Pleasant View P. T. A. met Friday night with Mrs. Albert Miller president presiding. The songs "My Old Kentucky Home" and "The Church in the Wildwood" were sung.

The following program was presented by the program chairman, Miss Edith Purchase.

Songs by school.

"Nonsense song"

"The Farmer"

"Spinning Mice"

"Wooden Shoe Dance"

Dialogue, Dorothy's Good Deed.

Song, "Three Dukes" Marjorie Lee Davis.

Dialogue, Davie Takes, the Cake.

A social hour followed during which the hostess committee served cake, cookies, coffee, and cocoa.

MEETING HELD BY HAZEL HILL CLUB

The Hazel Hill Community Club met Wednesday, at the school house.

After a short business meeting, the program committee, consisting of Frank Schautin, Miss Virginia Younger, and Earl Gregory, presented the following program:

"The Owl Critic," reading by Lucille Haggard.

A quartet, consisting of Mesdames J. L. Hansbro, Charles Younger, and Joseph and Carl Alexander, sang the following numbers:

"Little Mother of the Hills," "Far Away In The South," "Standin' In The Need of Prayer," and "Kindlin' Wood."

"Yes, I've Been Married" a reading by Gracie Powers.

Reading by Charley Schoundel Meyer.

Mr. Scott then gave a talk on his recent European tour.

"Home on the Range" and "Mexicallic Rose" by Joseph and Carl Alexander.

Refreshments of chili, crackers and coffee were served to a large audience by Mrs. Lon Pauley, Mrs. Bertram Schondelmaier and Lucille Haggard.

For the February meeting, those on the entertainment committee are:

John Powers, Mrs. Bert Brown and Gus Koelling. Those on the

refreshment committee are: Bert Brown, Mrs. Earl Gregory and Mrs. Haggard.

The next meeting will be February 11.

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2 Jersey heifers, coming 2 yrs.-old.

1 Heifer yearling

1 Stack timothy hay

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watch towers are being erected at strategic points in the barren territory between Kowloon and Tolo bay in the belief that any naval attack would start in the bay region.

Japan's wide scale aerial operations in China convinced British authorities that the colony's air defenses were far from adequate. They ordered expenditure of \$350,000 for construction of bomb proof shelters, gas-proof cellars and de-contamination chambers for civilians at numerous points in congested areas.

But to provide a minimum standard of safety from air attacks for Hongkong's 1,000,000 civil population it is estimated that \$700,000 more must be spent for additional equipment against air raids and gas attacks. This would include gas masks for all.

More than 200 bombing, pursuit and scouting planes will be stationed here under the full quota ordered for the colony. Most formidable among the bombers, it is said, will be the new Bristol type capable of carrying two tons of explosives at 200 miles an hour.

It is understood two battalions of Indian troops, now enroute, will be quartered there, increasing the land forces to six battalions or about 5,000 men. There are some 55 ships in Britain's China squadron based here, eight of them fast modern cruisers.

Has Scarlet Fever

Jack Deal, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Deal, of 646 East Tenth street, is ill at the family home due to an attack of scarlet fever. He is a student at Smith-Cotton high school.

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WALNUT GROVE P. T. A. HAS A PROGRAM

Walnut Grove school held its regular monthly P. T. A. meeting Friday night. The meeting was opened by the group singing "America" and "Polly Wolly Doodle." The president Mrs. Charles Snow read a poem entitled "My Prayer For Today" which was followed by the regular business meeting.

After the business session, Miss Laura Ann Riley presented the following program.

Piano solo, "The Old Oaken Bucket."

C. W. Durkee, by Mrs. Pearl Edwards.

Address, Dr. Lawrence Gieger, Chalk Talk, "The Church in the Wildwood" Miss Irene Smiley.

Miss Smiley was accompanied by Miss Laura Ann Riley as soloist and Mrs. Pearl Edwards as pianist.

Address, Dr. A. G. Hausam, Piano solo, "After the Dark On Broadway," Arthur Teschner, Mrs. Pearl Edwards.

Dr. Gieger very interestingly gave a number of very helpful facts in regard to eyes. Dr. Gieger showed the group pictures of children before and after their eyes had been corrected. He told of the textile mills moving from organized labor districts of New England to the southern states. There they had to meet the problem of poor vision.

Dr. Gieger illustrated the necessity of good eye sight by stating that 85 per cent of the things we learn come through our eyes.

Dr. A. G. Hausam opened his lecture on "Teeth" by stating a question. Why work with baby teeth. He attempted to answer the question in a very pleasing manner. He stated we must take care of baby teeth in order to have proper mastication of our food. Nerves in baby teeth are larger than in permanent teeth. The temporary teeth may ache a few days and as soon as the nerve becomes exposed its may die.

This condition throws germs into the blood stream which may result in an imperfect heart, and stiffness of the muscles. If baby teeth are extracted too soon the space may be filled by the neighboring teeth thus causing the permanent tooth to grow above its proper location. To correct this condition prices range all the way upwards to a thousand

dollars. He stated that enamel was the only substance in the body that did not replace itself. A cavity may be as small as a pin on the outside and it is possible for it to undermine until the cavity may be quite large on the inside of the tooth. He also read an article entitled "Vitamin D" by Dr. Chapman of New Zealand. Dr. Chapman stated in his article that vitamin D could not be stored in the body and a fresh supply is needed every day. The lack of this vitamin may cause convulsion in infants, bow legs, knock-knees and rickets. The sunshine acts on the skin and forms vitamin D. Glass windows, smoke and too much clothing prevent the formation of vitamin D.

After the program refreshments of cocoa, coffee and cookies were served.

MEMORIAL TRACED WITH STONES ALONG A HILLSIDE

ARKANSAS CITY, Kas., Jan. 25.—(P)—A Bible verse—"Christ died for the un-Godly"—traced with stones 475 feet along a hillside is Fred Horton's memorial.

Horton, who died last week at 77, placed the 18-foot high letters 40 years ago.

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